

REMARKS

In the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification dated December 2, 2009, the Office noted that the drawings filed on April 22, 2005 were received and that Figure 9 is contained in the Drawings, but that Figure 9 is not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the Specification.

Applicant respectfully submits that the Specification has now been amended to incorporate information on Figure 9 into the Brief Description of the Drawings in the Specification. Support for the amendment is set forth, for example, on page 19, lines 22-23 of the Specification. No new matter was added.

Withdrawal of the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification is herewith requested.

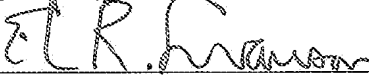
CONCLUSION

In view of the above amendment, Applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any unpaid fees deemed required in connection with this submission, including any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or 1.17, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

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